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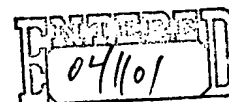
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Title

Perpendicular magnetic recording media and magnetic storage apparatus using the same



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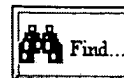
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**VERIFICATION OF LARGE ENTITY STATUS AND
PAYMENT OF DEFICIENT FEES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(C)**

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The applicants have noted an error in the original filing of the application. The application fee transmittal notes that the applicants claim small entity status. A copy of the fee transmittal and of the initial filing receipt registering a filing fee corresponding to a small entity are enclosed. Since the small entity status was established in error and the error was in good faith, the applicants request that the small entity status be removed and that the Office charge the deficient fees to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Itemization of Deficiency Payment:

Basic National Filing Fee	\$ 355.00 (paid as a small entity on 2-20-01)
Current Filing Fee	\$ 770.00 (as at 4-27-04)
DEFICIENCY	\$ 415.00
Extra Claims Fee	\$120.00 (paid as a large entity on 2-20-01)
DEFICIENCY	None
TOTAL DEFICIENCY	\$415.00

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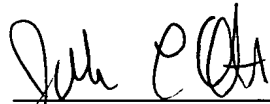
Accordingly, the Office is authorized to charge \$415.00 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Office is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment arising from this communication to the same account.

The Office is also requested to provide the applicant with a corrected filing receipt. This request is made under separate cover and filed concurrently herewith.

The Office is invited to contact the undersigned to discuss any matter related to the prosecution of this patent application.

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